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THE NEWS SCIMITAR

This paper brings the news while it is news to your home when you have the leisure to read. It is your duty to yourself to read the worth-while news.

BIGGEST WAR ENDS

Greatest Conflict of History Brought to Close After 1,567 Days of Horror by German Capitulation.

(By the Associated Press.)

The greatest war in history ended this morning at 6 o'clock, Washington time (5 o'clock, Memphis time), after 1,567 days of horror, during which virtually the whole civilized world has been convulsed. Announcement of the tremendous event was made at the state department at the capital at 2:45 o'clock this morning and in a few seconds was flashed throughout the continent by the Associated Press.

The terse announcement of the state department did not tell anything of the scene at Marshal Foch's headquarters at the time the armistice was signed. It was stated, however, that at 5 o'clock, Paris time, the signatures of Germany's delegates were affixed to the document which blasted forever the dreams which embroiled the world in a struggle which has cost, at the very lowest estimate, ten million lives.

When the war began the Teutonic alliance was headed by two of the proudest houses in history—the Hohenzollerns and the Hapsburgs. Today William II. of Germany is a fugitive in Holland and Charles I. of Austria, while he may be still in his country, has been stripped of power, and has seen his empire shattered. Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, another of the rulers in the Teutonic combinations, has fled from his country, and Mohammed V. of Turkey, who also joined in the attempt of Germany to dominate the world, is dead—slain, it is said, by the hands of an assassin.

While the curtain was rolling down on the most stupendous tragedy in mankind's history, events were moving with terrible swiftness in Germany, the nation about which revolved the plot and counter-plot of the drama.

Berlin, Leipzig, Stuttgart, Cologne, Hamburg and Frankfurt are in the hands of the revolutionists, who last week raised the red flag at Kiel. Germany's navy apparently is scattered into disjointed units, each seeking sanctuary in Danish ports or waiting in German harbors for the latest turn of events.

Crowds singing the "Marseillaise" are marching through the streets of autocrat Berlin, and a soldiers' and workmen's council has taken over the government of the empire.

Württemberg, Schleswig-Holstein and Hesse-Darmstadt have declared themselves independent republics, following the action taken by Bavaria last Friday. William II. of Württemberg is reported to have abdicated. Saxony is said to be near a like declaration, and the revolutionists are said to be in control at Dresden.

The republic of Poland has served official notice on Austria that Poland has annexed the crownland of Galicia.

As the last hours of the mighty combat drew near, French, British, Belgian and American forces were rapidly pushing the last German troops from France and Belgium.

SANTA ASKS KIDS' HELP ON TOYS FOR ORPHANS

Santa Claus hasn't laughed for a week. Rumors are that he has hardly even smiled.

You see, it's like this—Toys and candy are so hard to get this year that Old Santa is going to have an awful time filling all the little stockings that will be hung for him Christmas eve, and he is afraid there won't be enough things to go around.

He won't have such a hard time in America, because toys are much easier to get here than over in France and Belgium, but wouldn't it be awful if there shouldn't be anything left in his big old sack for the little French and Belgian children?

They have had to give up so much—their homes, their toys, pretty clothes, and so many of them have lost their mothers and fathers, and Old Santa Claus should pass them by and leave their little stockings hanging empty, why Christmas shouldn't be Christmas, but just one more day of sadness for them.

But Santa Claus has an idea, and if the Memphis children will just help him out, he can make this Christmas time the happiest day those children ever had.

He wants to start a toy shop right here in Memphis, and Mrs. L. K. Thompson, who has charge of the little French orphans for Memphis, is going to help him get it started and manage it for you know Santa Claus is mighty busy these days, and he has to be about a million places at once.

If the children will just get together and bring all the old toys that they are tired of to Mrs. Thompson, at her home, 419 S. Monroe avenue, they will be painted, repaired and placed in the toy shop. Then they can be sold again and Santa

will have enough money to help him get toys and candy over in France.

There must be a lot of toys all ready for sale before the toy shop can even be opened, and the children will have to go up in the attic and collect their old toys now, so that they can be repaired in time.

Maybe there's a dolly with an eye out and one arm gone, and a teddy bear that's getting old and shabby, but they can be fixed again, and just think what they will mean to children who wouldn't have any Christmas toys.

Old Santa Claus has been mighty good to the Memphis children, and he is pretty sure that they are going to help him out now.

And in the attic of her home at 1459 Monroe avenue, Mrs. L. K. Thompson is waiting, with paint and brush, all ready to make the old toys as good as new.

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THE REAL NEWS FIRST

The FIRST NEWS of the ACTUAL signing of the armistice was flashed into the editorial rooms of The News Scimitar at 1:46 Monday morning over The Associated Press wire. In an instant The News Scimitar presses were moving and turning out thousands of "SPECIAL EDITIONS"—giving to Memphis the reliable—authoritative—TRUE news of the greatest event in centuries—AND

GIVING IT FIRST!

SINCE THE SIGNING OF THE ARMISTICE BECAME A POSSIBILITY, THE EDITORIAL AND MECHANICAL DEPARTMENTS OF THE NEWS SCIMITAR REMAINED AT THEIR POSTS—DAY AND NIGHT—WITH UNFAILING ALERTNESS. The wires of the Associated Press, the world's greatest news gathering organization, were kept constantly open. At exactly 1:46 Monday morning the tired watchers in the editorial offices were startled by the sudden "tick, tick" of the FLASH on the wires—and then the glorious news of victory came!

The News Scimitar

Gave the True News of the Signing of the Armistice Nearly One Hour Before Any Other Memphis Paper!

The signing of the armistice brings an end to the actual fighting in the greatest war in the history of the world. The coming weeks will bring news of vast importance. Each day will make its impress on history. Each hour will collaborate toward making a greater world future. THIS NEWS WILL BE GIVEN TO MEMPHIS IN THE COLUMNS OF THE NEWS SCIMITAR THROUGH THE SERVICE OF

The Associated Press

THE NEWS SCIMITAR HAS THE EXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE FOR THE FULL DAY SERVICE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—THE GREATEST NEWS GATHERING ORGANIZATION IN THE WORLD.

You Can Be Sure of All the News—Usually First—ALWAYS RELIABLE in

The News Scimitar

Have it Delivered to Your Home For 15c a Week

URIC ACID IN MEAT CLOGS THE KIDNEYS

Take a Glass of Salts If Your Back Hurts Or Bladder Bothers.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back, or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, can not injure, and makes a delightful effective lithia-water drink.

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't Stay Gray! Here's an Old-Time Recipe That Anybody Can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, faded hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. What ever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hacking, sneezing, blowing, headache, dizziness. No struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just time. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.

DROWSY, LANGUID, DOPY WITH COLD?

Dr. King's New Discovery Restores the Alertness of Yesterday.

That "all in" feeling that accompanies a heavy and ceaseless cough is replaced by one of restful repose and gratifying relief when you use Dr. King's New Discovery.

Feverish flushes, phlegm congestion, throat ache, croupy cough, mild bronchitis are alleviated in short order. Fifty years of easing cold and cough pain have made it known nationally. Sold for fifty years. All druggists sell and file.

The Poisons of Constipation are gently but positively expelled from the suffering system by Dr. King's New Life Pills. Dizziness disappears, each headache vanishes, the digestion perfects, general health improves. Your druggist has them same as always.

A. S. CALDWELL WARMLY PRAISES GOVERNMENT

"Criticism of the government of the United States for its large expenditures in behalf of the American Red Cross is sadly misplaced," declared Albert S. Caldwell, prominent Memphian, who spent several months in France as an executive of that organization, in an address at the Central Baptist church Sunday night.

"We could never have done the wonderful things we have done," he continued, "had any attempt at economy been made. The health, comfort and safety of our soldiers came before thrift. What are dollars to deaths or wounds?"

"I think we should all feel that the determination of our government not to shorten the war is its greatest glory. And it should be gratifying to us to know that all the world has seen the American character in a new light for all the world today stands in admiration of the American dollar getting turned into the dollar spender."

Mr. Caldwell also spoke of another glory which had come to America because of the lofty principles for which it entered the world conflict.

He dealt briefly with the better known activities of the American Red Cross, which he said were being properly known as the "Allied Red Cross," and referred to two activities of which the American people themselves know little, setting up of French farmers on lands which are rented to them for a part of the yield of the crops grown and taking over of claims which French citizens have against their government. He pointed out that long processes were necessary before these claims could be collected and that, by taking them over and repaying the holders at once, returned refugees were enabled to resume farming without loss of time.

POLICE ROUND UP 96 ALLEGED LAW VIOLATORS

Alleged gamblers, loafers and violators of the liquor law were rounded up on Saturday and Sunday and a total of 96 arrests, a majority of them charged with crimes against the law, were made. Sgt. Crosby and a squad of officers nabbed 20 of the 26 alleged gamblers.

Fourteen were docketed on a charge of being drunk and disorderly on the streets. Nineteen felt the weight of the law, charged with loitering and loafing.

Alleged liquor law violators numbered six. Among them were several old heads at the game, police claim. Those arrested on this charge were Velton Green, 55 South Main street, who also had charges of war looting and exceeding the speed limit lodged against him; William Kelly, 497 Orphanage, Cham Fields, 461 Laine avenue; Joe Nightingale, 385 South Wellington street; Tom Willis, 222 Monroe avenue, and E. Blodgett, 232 Vance avenue.

LOSES \$3 AND PAPERS.

E. E. Bourdier, 535 East Trigg avenue, lost \$3 in cash and papers to a clever pickpocket Sunday night at Calhoun avenue, on a suburban street car, according to his complaint to police.

Quick Way to End Stomach Trouble

Prepare It at Home for Few Cents, and It Regularly for Week or so, and Just Watch the Results.

Wouldn't you like to know once more what it means to feel a good healthy appetite and then sit down and enjoy a hearty meal without suffering from indigestion, gas, belching, bloating, heart palpitation, nervousness and other distressing ailments?

Then take this advice and get two ounces of concentrated liquid Marix (aromatic) 75 cents worth from your druggist or by mail from The Marix Co., Fort Wayne, Ind. Dilute the Marix with water and take a teaspoonful before each meal.

Just see how quickly you get blessed relief. Its effect is wonderful. No matter what you've tried or what has failed to help you, this simple old home remedy has got to help and benefit you or money back. That's how sure it is. You'll say it is worth a hundred times the price. Get it now and try it before your next meal.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment for Skin Troubles

All druggists, Soap Box, Ointment Box, 10, Talmon St., Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.

Irritating Coughs

Promptly treat coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis and similar inflammation of the throat with a tested remedy.

PISCO'S ROOFINGS

Iron and Steel Bars, Tanks, Wire Fencing, Railway and Mill Supplies.

Pigeon-Thomas Iron Co.

94-96 N. Second St., Memphis.

Phones 1500, 1501, 1502.

Nelson's

Business College, 232 Madison Ave. Ask Business Men of Memphis About It.

PROCLAMATION.

To the People of Memphis:

Autocracy is defeated.

The world is at peace. America and allied armies have established democracy throughout the world.

The German hordes, which ravaged Belgium and swept almost to the gates of Paris, have been conquered.

The Kaiser has abdicated. He is no longer in a position to make war on defenseless women and children.

There is no more joyful tidings could be received in Memphis. As a people we are deeply moved by the announcement, but none of us will accept of a peace which leaves our mothers and wives who have sent sons and husbands across the sea to die.

Realizing the importance of the occasion as I do, I would not feel that I had done my full duty as mayor of this great city should I fail to call on the citizens of Memphis to stage an appropriate celebration. We should not fail to thank God for our deliverance from autocracy, for this is a moment of joy, not sadness.

Fraternities and civic organizations, bands, choral societies, and singing clubs should assist in making this demonstration an event to be long remembered. We should make this celebration the greatest in the history of the city. Certainly this is the greatest event in the history of the world.

In order that the working men and women will be given an opportunity to share in the celebration the festivities should not be started before 7 o'clock this evening.

FRANK L. MONTEVERDE, Mayor of Memphis.

Issued on the day of world peace, Nov. 11, 1918.

PEACE TO MEAN GREAT ACTIVITY COMMERCIAL

Memphis Monday morning awoke to a world-wide peace—a peace that meant the cessation of hostilities between millions of armed men along hundreds of miles of European battle front, the coming of a white dawn to a blood-drenched world. But the commercial life of the city was not to have a moment's respite from its immediate effect upon conditions, either industrial or commercial. Each person will have his "bit" to do.

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NEGRO IS STABBED.

Jim Morgan, negro, Pinckney, Ark., was attacked by three men at Overton avenue and North Second street at 8:30 o'clock Sunday night, according to police reports, and severely stabbed.

Cause of the quarrel is said to have been jealousy over a woman. Morgan is at the General Hospital.

EDDIE WALKER, MEMPHIS BOY, IS BADLY WOUNDED

Private Eddie Walker, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walker, Highland avenue, was wounded severely in action Oct. 8, according to a letter received by his parents in a recent letter from the soldier.

He is a member of Company L, 118th Infantry, 30th division, and participated in all major offensives of the latter. He is with Capt. W. F. Murrain's company.

According to Private Walker's letter, the Hun bullet entered the shoulder and emerged from the neck, causing a bad wound. He stated, however, he was on the road to recovery. He is well known around Highland Heights, Berclair and White Station.

CONWAY WORKERS QUIT TO HELP CLEAN CITY

CONWAY, Ark., Nov. 11. (Sp.)—Business concerns of every kind remained closed until 11 o'clock this morning while all hands "lay to" as helpers in the general clean-up move, sponsored by the Council of Defense and the Commercial Club. The measure was taken on a preliminary to a general scheme which will provide for the permanent and effective sanitation of the city.

FRONT WINDOW SMASHED; OWNER WILLING TO PAY

The front parlor window in the residence of E. J. Maher, 838 Lucy avenue, was demolished by a bullet at 2 a.m. Monday morning.

Mr. Maher, who is connected with the city health department, said Monday the window must have been shot up by some person celebrating peace after reading The News Scimitar extra. He says he is willing to pay for the window and has no complaint as he is satisfied the shooting was an accident.

Mr. Maher found the bullet in his parlor.

STILL IS SEIZED AND SUSPECT ARRESTED

JONESBORO, Ark., Nov. 11. (Sp.)—L. B. Fleeman, who resides near Fisher, was arrested by U. S. Marshal Burns and brought before U. S. Commissioner E. P. Mathes charged with operating a still.

The officer brought the still with him. Mr. Burns had suspected Fleeman for some time, but the still was so obscurely situated that it was difficult to locate. He had on hand 105 gallons of whiskey and in his shanty were found a number of German papers and other German literature.

No Waste

Use GRANDMA'S Powdered Soap and stop wasting expensive bar soap by letting it lie around in water. Measure by the spoonful, by the handful, or by the bucketful. It's the only soap that doesn't waste.

Work the Wastes Soaps. You'll find Grandma's Powdered Soap.

Ask Your Grocer For It!

RAINCOATS

We have a large stock of guaranteed raincoats for men, women, boys and girls. Lowest prices.

TOWNER & COMPANY, Inc. 79-81 South Second Street Corner Union

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